



SATURDAY EVENING, FEB. 19, 1910.

The critical illness of Senator Benjamin R. Tilman and the unlikelihood of the South Carolinian ever again being able to deliver the proceeding of the United States Senate is a source of regret to members of both of the great political parties of the country. It has for years been an earnest to proclaiming his principles as was Senator Riddleberger in his days. He has been the expression of his convictions and ever on the alert to expose the weak part of hasty or radical legislation he often found the source of the upper house. While his boldness often brought on clashes, he was one of the easiest of men to approach when appealed to by logic and common sense, but he was inexorable when convinced that he was in the right. Fiery and always ready to enter into a spirited colloquy, his but shafts were by no means an index of deep-seated malice. It has been said of him that he was the brainiest and shrewdest of the reformers was all on the surface. The same can be said of Senator Tilman. There was a decided prejudice against the South Carolinian when he first became a member of the Senate, but after he had become better known he made friends rapidly and became one of the most popular members of the body.

A COTEMPORARY to his exuberance over the fact that two prominent Americans were born in the month of February among other things says:

This nation has weathered the shock of a century and a quarter. Its material advancement has been the wonder of all time. And yet we know that it is but at the beginning of its growth. It is a giant in stature, but a child in years and development. Its real marvels are yet to come. Above us in the February sky is blazoned the bow of promise, traced across the zodiac from the 12th to the 23rd (marking the birthdays of Lincoln and Washington). It is a perpetual sign of promise to all Americans that the sides of evil will never rise high enough even to threaten this nation.

After Daniel had satisfied Nebuchadnezzar's curiosity by interpreting his dream and telling him his kingdom was destined to give way to the Medes and Persians, the latter to be succeeded by the Greeks and the Greeks by the Romans, the king is represented as swelling in the spirit of his pride and saying, "Is not this great Babylon which I have builded?" A few moments are all that now remains of the "glory of Chaldeans." Nations have waxed and waned from time immemorial. We should be thankful for the present vigorous condition of our country, but let us dispel the notion that our nation has been clothed with immortality.

The legislature seems to be against the cities and towns. A bill is now pending in the House which if passed, will tend to cut down the proportion of fines paid into the city treasuries from magistrates' courts in cities of over 15,000 inhabitants, and also cut down the percentage of prisoners fined under state laws when they might have been fined under city ordinances. A patron holds that in a great many cases when a prisoner might be fined under either city ordinance or state law the magistrate, if there is good prospect of collecting the fine, will impose the fine under the city ordinance, thereby turning it into the treasury of the city. On the other hand, if there seems to be no prospect of the prisoner paying the fine he will be fined under the state law, and the state will have to pay for his keep in jail. The bill will force the magistrate to give the state the preference in all cases where the prisoner may be fined under either law and allows them to impose the fine under the city law only in cases where there is no state law to cover the situation. This is manifestly unjust, as the cities and towns have to pay for the maintenance of the police department and the expenses of the court, etc. This bill should become a law, would seriously affect the finances of Alexandria.

COL. JOHN S. MOSBY is showing considerable interest in the terms of the will made by John R. Cox, one of the colonel's troops, who died in Norfolk recently, leaving an estate estimated at \$750,000. The deceased directed that \$100,000 be used for the erection of a mausoleum. "I think he would have done better," said Colonel Mosby, "if he had left the \$100,000 for the erection of a hospital. Just would have been a gift for which he would have been blessed by his fellow-men." Benjamin Franklin was among the passengers rescued from a sinking ship in the English channel many years ago. The vessel struck a ledge of rocks in the darkness and was soon dashed to pieces by the waves. One of the passengers, after reaching terra firma, said: "Were I a man of means, I would build a chapel on this spot as a token of my thankfulness for having been saved." Franklin replied were I in a healthy financial condition, I would erect a lighthouse.

AGAINST the protests of a large number of members of the state, but as has been assured all along, the House of Delegates committee for courts of justice yesterday reported the Rison bill, known as the divorce bill, back to the House with a favorable recommendation. The committee put in a provision saying that when three years have elapsed after the granting of a divorce from bed and board either plaintiff or defendant may come into court, and if the court may, in its discretion, grant an absolute divorce. It is noted, however, that the court must "be of opinion that a divorce from the bonds of matrimony would be to the best interest of the parties and for the public good, which fact shall be entered in the decree." The House should kill the bill despite the action of the committee, for there is no good reason for, while there are many against it becoming a law.

**Breaking up hazing schools by means of cutting off the supply of cash, is the remedy proposed in a bill offered by Mr. Deal, in the House of Delegates on Wednesday. He would have all appropriations to schools which receive state aid paid in monthly installments. If any complaint is made that hazing has occurred, the governor is to investigate. If he finds the charge substantiated, he may direct the auditor to withhold the monthly payments until it appears that conditions have been remedied. The bill should be passed.**

#### From Washington.

**Washington, February 19.**  
Dizzing figures of Alaskan wealth were given by Stephen Birch, managing director of the Alaskan syndicate, composed of J. P. Morgan & Co., and the Guggenheim brothers, before the Senate committee on territories today. Birch said the syndicate brought the Bonanza mine field of 3240 acres for \$3,000,000 and that now there is \$6,000,000 worth of copper ore in sight. This showing is the result of development of only a small part of the field.  
An amendment to the anti-pass law that will allow railroads to grant passes to the families of employees who have died in the service of the railroad was urged before the Senate committee on interstate and foreign commerce by Representative Taylor (rep. Ohio), today. The present law allows passes to be granted to the families of employees who have been killed while in the service of the road. Mr. Taylor wants the families of those who die natural deaths to be included.

A slight improvement in the condition of Senator Tilman was reported this morning following a fairly restful night. He seemed able to recognize members of the family through his power of articulation is now completely destroyed and probably lost forever. Aphasia has developed and almost complete paralysis of the right side has followed a cerebral hemorrhage of the left side of the brain.  
"The conditions attending railroad transportation in the United States are well-nigh intolerable," declared Representative Mann, chairman of the House committee on interstate and foreign commerce in the course of a hearing on the Townsend railroad bill today. Chairman Kossop, of the interstate commerce commission, was telling the committee his views on the railroad question when Mann interjected the remark and asked Kossop if he did not think so. "I think they are," answered Kossop.

President Taft today accepted an invitation to attend the Ohio Valley Exposition, which will be held at Cincinnati in August and September.  
Richard P. Covert today resigned the chief clerkship of the Postoffice Department to become assistant superintendent, division of salaries and allowances, with headquarters on the Pacific coast.

The commission appointed by Frederick Buehler, deputy commissioner of police of New York City to succeed General John S. Clarkson as surveyor of the port of New York is proving it useless. The appointment of Buehler, it has been supposed, was to be in accord with a suggestion from President Taft. Now the New York republican congressmen threatened trouble if Buehler gets the place.

No more political speeches and more legislation is the order that has been given out by the republican leaders of the House and the wheels have been set in motion to carry out the program. General debate is cut off on every bill; no opportunity is to be given for democratic blows about the tariff; the appropriation bills are to be passed in a hurry; the administration legislation is to be carried through with a rush and the members can go home to their constituents with a record for work as a request for re-election. Not that the administration legislation will pass Congress. Not at all. It will pass the House and there are two different things. But so far as the House members are concerned, they can say to their constituents—"See, we did our part. The Senate failed to pass the bill. You cannot blame us." Meanwhile Speaker Cannon will be annoyed that he is not a candidate for re-election and the republican caucus in the House will put forth a program on that the rules must be revised. "Those terrible rules should be revised," the resolution will read but they would be revised by the "party of progress." The final details of the plan, which has been decided upon by the president, the leaders of the Senate and House, become known today. The president is much interested because he wants to see a republican House elected next fall and he calls himself "the titular head of the republican party." The Senate—well there are not wanting those who say that it is not intended that the bill shall pass the Senate. It is intended that they shall not pass the Senate. The Senate is far removed from public opinion. It is not directly responsible to the people. Only a third of its members have to stand for re-election and most of these are declared to have safe majorities in their states. So with this condition, it is hoped that the members of the House will have much easier sailing than present reports from the middle west indicate that they will have.

Although a final judgment as to the success of the operation upon Senator Smith, of Michigan, is not possible until tomorrow the doctors at the McNeophthal

Hospital this morning reported the senator's condition as entirely favorable. The senator passed a fairly comfortable night without the aid of narcotics.  
The way to a tariff agreement with Greece has been partially cleared, according to dispatches received from Athens by the State Department today, by the introduction of a bill in the Greek Legislature restoring the former duties on cotton seed and mineral oils. The present high duty was the only obstacle to procuring the minimum tariff by the United States.

"The prosecution" in the Ballinger-Pinnot congressional probe had its inaugural day, and scored heavily. A new witness, Mr. Henry M. Hoyt, corroborated in every detail certain of the testimony previously given by Mr. L. R. Glavis, and Attorney Brandeis, for Mr. Glavis, introduced in evidence documentary evidence tending to sustain much of the "prosecution's" contention that Mr. Ballinger, as commissioner of the land office, had personal direction of the Alaskan coal land investigations. When the hearing was resumed Attorney Vertess, on behalf of Mr. Ballinger, said that he had no more questions to ask Mr. L. R. Glavis, the chief prosecuting witness, and he immediately called to the stand Mr. Henry M. Hoyt, attorney general for Porto Rico and formerly assistant district attorney at Seattle. Attorney Brandeis concluded his direct examination of Mr. Hoyt within an hour. The witness was then turned over to Attorney Vertess for cross-examination. After half-hour's cross-examination Mr. Hoyt was excused from the stand. Attorney Brandeis then began the introduction of a mass of papers, letters, documents, etc., received from the Interior Department in response to his request.  
By a change of schedule between Missouri river, pointed and the Pacific Coast the Postoffice Department has effected a saving in time which will allow St. Louis commercial paper to pass through the San Francisco clearing houses the same day of its arrival in San Francisco. Heretofore this has been impossible.

**Forty-two Bridal Couples Aboard**  
New York, Feb. 19.—When the steamship Oceanic, of the Quebec steamship line, pulled out of her dock today covered with rice and old shoes, her captain gazed down from the deck and inquired of the shipping agent whether the ship was a passenger liner or a dove cot. For of the 336 first class passengers on board, 104 of them had just been married. There were 52 "dowily wed" couples spooning about on the decks and arranging deck chairs so they could hold hands discreetly during the run down the coast to Bermuda, where the ship is bound. The bridal party was large and the dock was jammed with fathers, mothers, bridesmaids and best men, each in place in the show of shoes and rice, which filled the air as the liner pulled out.

#### News of the Day.

Ex-President Zelaya, of Nicaragua, has arrived at Vera Cruz, Mexico.

A bill to reorganize the Postoffice Department and place it on a business basis was introduced to Congress yesterday.

Several members of the so-called beef trust have been indicted on the charge of conspiracy by the Jersey City grand jury.

The corpses of eleven miners lost in the disaster at Cherry, Ill., last November, were found mummified by the heat in the mine.

In the annual report of the Northern Central Railroad it is announced that the company's repair shops in Baltimore will be abandoned and the work done elsewhere.

Leaders of the liberal party in England pay little heed to the manifesto of the labor party's chief, and predict that they will remain in power for eighteen months.

France has sent an ultimatum to the Sultan of Morocco, saying that unless the financial arrangements are carried out the French consul will be withdrawn from Fez and the Moroccan customs will be seized.

In the House yesterday Mr. Moon introduced the bill which is known as the administration reorganization measure. The postoffice reorganization bill carrying \$289,812,915, was reported late in the day.

There was more Thursday night to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Darling, at their home in Amityville, L. I., a child, which is the twenty-eighth of which Mr. Darling is the father, and the thirteenth born to the present Mrs. Darling. Mr. Darling is in his sixty-sixth year.

Charles Atherton, known as the top boss at the S. Paul coal mine, at Cherry, Ill., was shot and probably fatally wounded yesterday, by a discharged employee while the body of an embittered miner was being recovered.

Mrs. Agnes Leslie Ekins, niece of United States Senator Stephen B. Ekins, of West Virginia, died in Kansas City of a bullet wound inflicted on herself last Wednesday in attempting suicide.

#### Virginia News.

President Taft has reappointed Butley Kern for another term as postmaster of Winchester.

Mrs. Annie I. Kertz, wife of Rev. Alfred P. Kertz, died in Baltimore yesterday. She was a daughter of the late Mayor Tallaferr of Stafford County.

Major Seth Barton French, a prominent and wealthy New Yorker and a native of Spotsylvania county, died Thursday night of heart disease at Palm Beach, Fla. He was 77 years old.

A charter was granted yesterday to the Virginia White Leghorn Company (Inc.), of Clifton, Va., H. A. Ward, president; W. W. Thomas, vice president; S. S. Ward, secretary—all of Clifton, Va. Capital, \$100,000; minimum, \$25,000. Objects: poultry business.

Samuel B. Frelow, a clerk in the Homopathic drug store, Richmond, ignoring a hold-up man's threat of instant death if he showed a sign of resistance, drew his own pistol on the intruder and ordered him out of the place late Thursday night. The clerk saved the departing man with a shot as he fled from the store.

The scout cruiser Salem and the battleship Louisiana passed in the Virginia capes yesterday followed their abandonment under orders of the search for the missing naval tug Nina. A rumor in Norfolk and other naval circles of the receipt of a message saying, "Nina found. All well," resulted from a telegraphic message in the morning to relatives in Norfolk concerning a young lady named Nina.

#### Today's Telegraphic News

**Offered a Bribe**  
(Special dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.)  
Richmond, Va., Feb. 19.—Del. George Johnson, of Russell, announced on the floor of the House of Delegates today that he had been offered a bribe of four hundred dollars to vote for the divorce amendment embodied in the Rison bill. It is the sensation of the session.  
Subsequently Delegate Johnson angrily amended the verbiage of his charge. As a result of the discussion the Rison divorce amendment, even as further amended by the committee of justice, was defeated by a vote of 53 to 16. This ends the matter.

**Trouble Expected in Madrid.**  
Madrid, Feb. 19.—Situation disorders are expected here tonight and tomorrow if the socialists and republicans persist in their plan to hold big meetings, at which religious liberty, amnesty for all political offenders, the abolition of the military government and the reopening of the suppressed lay schools will be demanded.  
Tonight's meeting is planned to be held at the Barberi Theatre and tomorrow's demonstrations is intended to be a huge out-door affair.

The military authorities, under orders from the government, have warned the socialists and republicans that these meetings will be prohibited, but the organizers are paying no attention to the authorities and declare that bloodshed will follow any attempt to break up their gatherings.

The police are being augmented in anticipation of riots and several hundred additional soldiers have been brought in from nearby barracks to assist in preserving order.

#### The Atlantic City Murder Mystery.

Atlantic City, N. J., Feb. 19.—Coroner Sottelm today declared he would begin the inquest over the body of Miss Jane Adams next Monday or Tuesday.  
In the meantime William Seyler, the young married man charged with the murder of the girl and Orvis Seyler, his brother, charged with being an accomplice after the fact, will be held in jail, under a strong guard, to prevent a possible lynching.

The two men were put through a rigid "third degree" when they reached Atlantic City. William Seyler told his story that he knew nothing of the girl's death. Orvis is greatly frightened, and the police believe will soon tell all he knows. But unless William can be induced to talk, it is doubtful if the story of the girl's death will ever be fully told.

#### Conditions in Greece.

London, Feb. 19.—The London Press attaches no significance to the denials of Premier Dragoumis of Greece and other Greek diplomats and politicians that there is an open breach between the army and the navy. Reports to the London papers from reliable correspondents declare that a condition of chaos bordering on civil war prevails in Greece, and the foreign office is considering the situation with a view to possible intervention.

**Committee, Feb. 19.**—Owing to the interruption of communication with Athens today it is impossible to verify a report that the Greek fleet has maintained and steamed out to sea to prevent the execution of the Army League's command for the disarmament of the ships. Captain Tynaldos is said to head the mutiny and to have won over to his side Admiral Micallous, who has been counseling cautious procedure on the part of the navy insurgents.

#### Eucharistic Congress.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 19.—Cardinal Gibbons today accepted the invitation of Archbishop Paul Bruchesi, of Montreal, Canada, to attend the first American General Eucharistic Congress of the Catholic Church to be held in that city in September.

The congress promises to be one of the most important gatherings in the history of the Catholic Church on this side of the Atlantic, and hundreds of high officials of the church will be present. The episcopal delegate to Canada, Most Rev. Donatus Sherrell, will probably preside and interesting questions pertaining to the church will be discussed. As the head of the Catholic Church in America, the cardinal will be a conspicuous figure, and will take an active part in the congress.

#### Edward's Recommendation.

London, Feb. 19.—King Edward, it is understood today, will recommend in his speech from the throne on Monday formally opening Parliament, that the question of the priority of the budget and the bill to abolish the veto power of the Lords, be left to a veto of the House of Commons.

The success of the plan is doubted, as the leaders of both the laborites and nationalists are as insistent today as ever that the veto question be settled before the budget is introduced. They say the vote of the Commons on the proposition will have no effect upon them.

#### Duel with Swords.

Paris, Feb. 19.—Marquis Campobelli, the Spanish military attaché in London, today fought a long and bitter sword duel with a Paris merchant named Payer. The duel ended with the noblemen several times. The injuries, however, were slight. For an hour and a half they fought, completing fifteen rounds. Both men are accomplished swordsmen. Payer managed, however, to draw blood several times, the last time piercing the marquis' sword arm and putting him out of the fight.

#### Raisut Not Dead.

Tangier, Feb. 19.—Raisuli, the famous bandit and tribal leader, is himself responsible for the report, spread broadcast a week ago, that he had died as the result of a poisoning plot. Local authorities who have investigated the rumor, declared today that Raisuli had no wish to believe that he was dead and concurred in the story of his death. Raisuli has not even been sick and a further rumor from him is feared.

#### Effects of the Blizzard.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 19.—Railway traffic in western Pennsylvania is badly hampered today as a result of the blizzard which has been raging for several days. Advances from the northern part of the state report that the temperature is to be 30° below zero and travel on country roads has been abandoned owing to the deep snow.

After an illness of more than a year, Neill Burgess, the famous old actor, died at his home in New York early today.

#### The Legislature.

**SENATE.**  
One more day was spent by the Senate in debate on the tax commission bill. A vote may be reached on Monday or Tuesday.  
The following House bills were taken up and passed: To amend the law relating to fees for commissioners of the revenue; to amend the law in regard to jury service; to amend the law in relation to the public free schools.  
Debate on the tax commission bill was resumed.

Bills were introduced to require railroads to provide suitable cabs for cars on freight trains, and to impose a penalty for failure to do so; to amend an act dividing the counties and corporations of Virginia into judicial circuits; to amend an act approved March 4, 1890, an act to regulate the hours of labor in factories of females and children under fourteen years of age who are employed as operators to authorize rectals in deeds of conveyance executed prior to April, 1885, that the deed from the parties of the land conveyed or to or from his vendee was admitted to record in the general court, at Richmond, to be received as prima facie evidence of the execution of the said deed in suits and actions where the title of the land purported to be conveyed is involved, to require all railroad companies whose charters require such companies to take up or set down passengers to fulfill the terms of such charter; to require cities and counties to pay the fees and expenses in criminal cases tried by justices of the peace incurred before trial or examination, and in the trial or examination, which fees and expenses, but for the provisions of this act, would be payable out of the treasury of the state; to require the auditor of public accounts to charge off of the books of his office all warrants drawn by him on the treasurer of the state which have not been presented to the treasurer of the state for payment within five years from the date they were issued, &c.; to repeal section 3525 of the code making allowance to sheriffs and sergeants and their deputies for attendance on the court; to amend section 3533 of the code when certain officers not to be paid fees in criminal cases; allowance in lieu of fees, for serving process in criminal cases in cities; to amend chapter 1 and 2 of an act concerning the bureau of insurance, societies and orders and imposing penalties for its violation, approved March 9, 1906; to amend and reenact section 2494 of the code in relation to liens on crops for advances to farmers; to amend section 5 of chapter 65 of the code; to protect sheep and other stock in the counties of this state.

**HOUSE.**  
The House passed the Senate bill allowing the railroads to carry interstate freight on Sunday. The measure was made the occasion of a blow at the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad, in that an amendment was added and accepted by the Senate requiring any road taking advantage of the provisions of the bill to forfeit any exemption from taxes conferred by its charter.  
The House then passed the Senate bill allowing local and state rail authorities to confer as to building a cheaper class of roadways for tributary roads.  
It also passed the Senate bill amending the law relating to the construction of courthouses.  
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## Woodward and Lothrop.

New York—Washington—Paris  
**CLEARANCE SALE OF Boys' Winter Clothing**  
The balance of our stock of Winter Suits that sold at from \$5 to \$7.50. They are in best mixtures; mostly all wool. Sizes 6 to 17.  
Also a lot of Boys' Sailor Blouse Suits, in fancy mixtures; sizes 5 to 10. Were \$5.00 and \$6.00.  
**Choice, \$3.75 each.**  
The balance of our stock of Boys' Overcoats (about 30 altogether), in sizes 10 to 17.  
**Now \$5.00. Were \$8.50, \$10 and \$11.  
Now \$7.50. Were \$12.50 and \$13.50.**  
Third floor—10th st.

**CLEARANCE SALE OF Girls' Wash Dresses.**  
Girls' Percale Wash Dresses in light and dark colors, polka dots, checks, and ring effects; made long-waisted style, with high neck and long sleeves; fasten in back; sizes 6 to 14.  
**Special price, \$1.00 each.**  
Girls' Wash Dresses, of percale and chambray, in light and dark plain colored effects; made long-waisted style, with long sleeves and high neck; full plaited skirt with deep hem; sizes 6 to 14.  
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Is the Carlisle Indian school doing any good besides training several husky football players every year? Do the graduates of the institution go out into the world to become useful citizens, or do they return to the blanket and the tepee and sleep with the dogs as their aboriginal ancestors have done for generations? These were the chief problems discussed in the House this afternoon during consideration of the Indian appropriation bill, and after half a score of members had expressed themselves one way or another, the problem was still unresolved.

Among the bills introduced was one to appropriate \$2